

THE WEATHER
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and vicinity—Fair Friday and Saturday and colder; moderate north winds.

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PRICE TWO CENTS.

SUN AND TIDE	
Sun. Rises	6:41
Sun. Sets	5:23
Length of Day	10:46
High Tide 7:30 am, 8:22 pm	
Moon Rises	4:21 am

PRESENTED THE PETITION TODAY

Mothers Prayer for Gates at Vaughan Street Crossing in the Hands of Boston & Maine President

The petition which has been in circulation for the past month or more in the hands of the residents of Christian Shore and the North End district for the placing of gates at the Vaughan street crossing was presented to President Morris McDonald of the Boston & Maine today. The petition bears the signatures of nearly four hundred people, mostly mothers who have done the bulk of the work since the project was first considered by the people in these sections. The following is the document:

"We the undersigned members of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the Farragut school, Portsmouth, N.

LAST BEFORE LENT.

Charles B. Sheehan will hold an assembly dance on Monday evening at Rechabite hall. This will be the last dance until the Lenten season is over.

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Will be the amount standing to your credit if you deposit \$10 a month for 10 years.

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Adopt our SUCCESSFUL SAVINGS SYSTEM in your home. Banks furnished free to those having an account of \$1.00 or over.

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FIREMEN GIVE PIG BARBECUE

Chemical Men Entertain Party of Thirty at Hanover St. Quarters.

For many years the headquarters of the fire companies on Hanover street has been the scene of many a choice feast, but the big barbecue given by the crew of the auto chemical eclipsed everything so far prepared for the festive board. Plates were set for thirty who gathered to partake of the young workers a gift of Superintendent Charles W. Gray of the Consolidation Coal Company.

Among those present were Chief Engineer W. F. Woods, Assistant Engineers J. M. Varnell and Herbert Wallace; Comptroller Duncan, Dowdell and Woods, committee on fire department; Ex-Chief Engineer John D. Randall, Ex-Assistant Engineer Joseph W. Akerman, Roger N. Jones, Charles W. Gray, John S. Parker, Joseph Gorman, Elsie B. Newman, Thomas E. Mitchell, C. H. Downs, Arthur P. Cox, William Patfray, George Klumpp, Charles H. Kehoe, George Harriman, Ex-Chief Engineer David E. Jenkins, Samuel Fletcher, Leon Weaver, Fred Jones, Duncan Cameron, John L. Hooper, A. V. Gay Smart, John Hann, Michael Lynch, Francis Quinn, George Cogan Herman Crompton.

SATURDAY AT BENFIELD'S.

Just received 26 boxes Eagle Brand shredded cod fish. They are yours at 3 pks for 25c, 25c cartons of Boston brown baked butter crackers for 19c; Woods' famous 10c Hollander coffee, 38c lb; a 15c pk of Primrose tea and doz napkins free with every pound. Three lbs Liberty Statue kippered herring for 25c; the large size on our Fat Hill Farm cream is its best adv. of quality—have you tried it yet? For all round baking Wm. Tell flour can't be beat. Try a bag and you will be convinced. Tel. 177.

P. A. C. MINSTRELS.

Overture rehearsal, Feb. 22, at 2:30 sharp. Every member who has signified his intention of being in the first part is requested to be present. Per order, Manager.

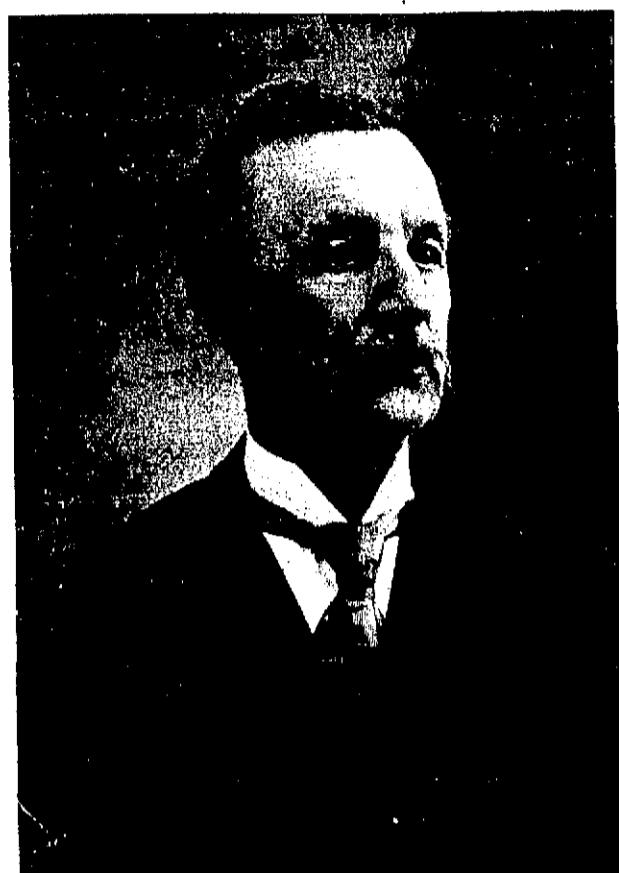
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This is Ladies' Home Journal Pattern Week, and we are giving to every customer one of these three stylish dresses. When you come in for your pattern, be sure to see the showing of Dress Materials suitable for making up these Dresses, especially priced for this occasion.

PYTHIANS HONOR VETERAN OFFICER



Mark W. Paul.

Members of Constitution Lodge, No. 88, of Kittery, Present Mark W. Paul With Costly Emblematical Ring at Anniversary Celebration

Thursday evening was a notable one in the history of Constitution Lodge, No. 88, Knights of Pythias of Kittery, the occasion being the joint observance of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the order and the twentieth anniversary of the institution of the lodge. The lodge had as special guests members of Quonquodgian Lodge of South Berwick and Rathbone Lodge of Berwick.

At 8 o'clock Past Chancellor Fred A. Stone called the assemblage to order and extended a hearty greeting to the visiting brothers. The special ritualistic service commemorative of the Golden Jubilee of the order was performed by Chancellor Commander Fred O. Treleven and the officers of

the lodge, the tri colored lighting blue, yellow and red, representing the tenets of the order, Friendship, Charity and Benevolence, were burned both inside and outside of the lodge room. At the conclusion of these services a pleasing incident took place when Past Chancellor Henry J. Durkin, in well chosen words presented Mark W. Paul, who for the past nineteen years has held the office of Master of Exchequer with a gold emblematical ring in recognition of his service and the 80th anniversary of his birth which occurs today.

Dr. Durkin spoke as follows: "Although the battle of the Wilderness

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SERIOUS FIRE AT PITTSFIELD

Grand Army Hall Destroyed and Help Summoned From Nearby Towns.

Pittsfield, Feb. 20.—Fire broke out in the Grand Army hall near Depot square this morning about 1 o'clock and at a late hour was increasing in fury and it is believed that this entire section of the town is doomed. The entire structure of the Grand Army was soon destroyed and the flames were quickly communicated to the dwelling owned by W. J. Brooks and occupied by two families.

HERE ARE THE DATES.

The Big P. A. C. Minstrels on March 16 and 17.

The dates as now arranged for the P. A. C. minstrels are March 16 and 17, and the boys will whip everything into fine shape by that time. The chorus work and end men will surpass anything that the club has ever put on the local stage. The full program

will contain many novelties and the show will in every way be equal to any professional organization. It will be an evening of good clean fun and every citizen will be delighted to witness it.

WHITE & HODGDON, TEL. 123.

We have a small lot of choice turkeys and nice native fowl.

Pork mutton 12c lb.

Lamb mutton 18c lb.

Pork chops (1-2 strips) 10c lb.

Fresh shoulder 15c lb.

Sugar cured smoked shoulders 15c lb.

3 Cans corn, tomatoes or string beans 25c

3 Pkgs toasted cream of rye flakes, 25c

5 Lbs nice rice 25c

3 Pkgs Lipton's jelly (assort) 25c

7 Bars Lenox or Lighthouse soap, 25c

3 Cans Oswego raspberries 25c

Best quality evaporated apples, 16c lb.

A. R. flour (now, flour will be higher) 7c lb.

Fresh country eggs 35c doz.

3 Pkgs Macaroni 25c

20 Lbs. Sugar \$1.00

Try our black tea 40c lb.

Best creamy tub butter 35c lb.

Spinach, cauliflower, new cabbage, sweet potatoes, Bermuda onions, lettuce and celery.

STILL ANOTHER

New one at Bass' candy department, Saturday. Peanu nut ribbon candy in tin boxes, regular price 40c per lb;

VIEWED OLD HOME PICTURES

Sons and Daughters of Portsmouth Living in and About Boston Have Fourth Reunion and Dinner

The Association of the Sons and Daughters of Portsmouth, resident in Boston and vicinity held its fourth annual reunion and banquet at the Hotel Bellevue Thursday evening and had an special guests Rev. Laing H. Thayer of this city and ex-Mayor John Prender, both of whom made short addresses. President Ira F. Birchenough of Sloughton, Mrs. W. H. Cate of Belmont, Mrs. Eva J. Hunt of Beverly, William A. Payson and Thomas J. Whittam, executive committee. Among those present were Mr. and

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price for Saturday, 30c lb. Also our special 35c chocolate for 20c lb, an

usual.

WENT BACK TO WATCH FIRE

Mingled With Spectators and Enjoyed It While It Lasted.

Deepej McDonald and John Thom, the lads responsible for the paint shop fire on Wednesday night, were right among the spectators who watched the blaze from Commercial Place. They told the police that after getting out of the building they quietly walked through Penobscot street to State street, where they met a conference near the post office, where they made an agreement to say nothing to any other boys and go back and see how the blaze was progressing.

NOTICE.

Saturday at Remick's Shoe Store—Males' \$1.50 shoes for \$1.20; Men's \$3.50 double soled goodwear, webs in sizes 9 to 11 for \$3.50; Women's \$4.00. Men's Quality Hi-Cut tan button for \$2.85; Men's Storm King rubber boots, high quality, \$3.50.

Following the workers banquet was

Wednesday. The Masonic quartet, consisting of Ernest L. Cook, John W. Mitchell, Charles W. Gray and George P. Montgomery, and the Masonic orchestra furnished the musical program.



GREAT SALE OF LACE CURTAINS FOR ONE WEEK ONLY. SEE OUR WINDOW.

Were	Now	Were	Now
50 Pkgs. Muslins	\$.35	12 Pkgs. Scrim	\$1.00
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25 Pkgs. Lace	.75	50	1.00
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We have hundreds of other bargains in Muslins, Scrims and Laces. One lot special, of 1 and 2 pairs, to be closed out regardless of cost.

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\$1, \$1.25, \$2, \$2.25

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GEORGE B. FRENCH CO.

A PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT

Rogers Mission Circle of the North Church Give Three Plays.

The Rogers Mission Circle connected with the North Church held a very pretty entertainment consisting of three plays and sale on Thursday afternoon and evening in the North Church chapel. The following is the cast of characters:

The Foam Maiden.

Moira Helen Colburn

Michael, her son Waldo Phinney

The Foam Maiden Dunice Canney

The Three Wishes.

Andrea Lawrence Leavitt

Lizette, his wife Virginia Parmenter

The Stranger Norman Nichols

The Brewing of Brains.

The Wise Women of the Fells Lillian Dicks

Durlock Richard Lorin

Elisabeth Louis Shepard

Miss Mary Hoffmeyer, coach; Miss Edith Brewster, stage manager; Mrs. Thomas Noyes, chairman.

This entertainment was given at 4:30 in the afternoon and 8 in the evening.

The sale included: Girls' work and fancy work table, Miss Helen Walker, Miss Francesca Hoffmeyer; boys' table, Mrs. Arthur Howard, Miss Colburn; bundles, Elsie Hoddon, Doris McNamee, Florence Johnson, Frances Cummings; candy, Doris Stiles, Phyllis Stiles, Louis Leavitt, Emily Washburn, Edna Boyd; ice cream, Frances March, Marion Lord.

The tables were very prettily arranged in keeping with the season of Washington's birthday and were filled with attractive and tempting articles.

The young folks made all of the fancy, useful and other articles which they sold readily.

The mystery booth was most novel and unique, it being an effigy of a snow man. This was a great drawing card for the children.

The young amateurs were certainly a credit to their parts and rendered their respective roles in an excellent manner.

The stage setting was very pretty, and represented the old Dutch home, with all the detailed characteristics of such a setting. The plays dealt with the mermaids, the myth and magic in which the Dutch believe.

Vocal solos were rendered between the plays by Miss Dunice Canney.

The affair was most successful and the children are deserving of much credit for their faithful and enthusiastic work to make the event what it was.

DIES AT FRANKLIN.

Former Rye Pastor Answers the Last Summons.

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At the close of the war he learned the trade of saddle making. He was a diligent student and finally fitted himself for the ministry. He has held pastorates at Rye and Wolfeboro in this state, south Danbury and Haverhill, Mass., and Lubec, Me., and finally at Franklin, where he was pastor of the Christian church for 15 years, retiring in 1908.

Mr. Phillips has been president of the New England Christian Conference and of the American Christian Conference.

NOW IS THE TIME.

Frank H. Ellis, the well known building mover, has several jobs of moving in this city and will have the material for this class of work here for the next month. Persons who contemplate having any work of this kind done will find it to their advantage to consult Mr. Ellis while he is working in this city. A telephone to Frank H. Ellis, 189-2, York Beach, and he will cheerfully give an estimate. H. F.W. 31

NEW HAMPSHIRE IS CONCERNED

Congressman Stevens and Chairman Niles Discuss Railway Affairs.

Washington, Feb. 19.—New light was thrown upon the complexities of the task of separating the Boston & Maine railroad from the New Haven system at the department of justice today, when Representative Stevens of New Hampshire and Chairman H. G. Niles of that state's public service commission told officials how Boston & Maine affairs are interwoven with the laws of that state, and how the people are interested in everything which concerns the road.

Although no appointments have been made for the appearance of representatives of other states at the department, it is possible that before the terms of the separation agreement are ratified, the whole of New England will have participated in the negotiations.

At the conference today the department was represented by T. W. Gregory and Jessie C. Adkins, the attorneys in charge of the case.

New Hampshire, they were told, is almost as much interested in the Boston & Maine as is Massachusetts, and in the years that the Boston & Maine has operated in that part of New England, New Hampshire has enacted many laws which may have an effect upon the proposed agreement.

Mr. Niles was invited to visit the department in order to test what aid could be given in solving the New Hampshire phase of the problem.

In consequence of this conference Mr. Gregory did not have an opportunity to speak.

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE"

That Is LAXATIVÉ BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. Cures Grip in Two Days. 25c.

relief of the attorney general may not be sought for several days.

It was said tonight that the opportunity to talk with Attorney General McReynolds about the tentative list of five trustees to take over the Boston & Maine, which has been approved by Governor Walsh of Massachusetts,

the young amateurs were certainly a credit to their parts and rendered their respective roles in an excellent manner.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, February 20, 1914.

Insurance, Industry and Thrift.

In a recent address before the Boston Life Underwriters' Association, E. J. Clark, president of the National Association of Life Underwriters, made the statement that 85 out of every 100 men leave at their death no income-producing estate, that 90 per cent. of the widows lack the common comforts of life and that 35 per cent. of them are left in absolute want. Of course, the remedy for this lamentable state of things, according to the speaker, is life insurance. He is a life insurance man and was addressing life insurance men.

And life insurance is all right. It is one of the best things in the world, but it is not the only means by which a man, if reasonably successful and prudent, can leave something for the support of his family in case he is taken away. A home that is paid for, humble though it may be, is worth much to a family that has been bereft of its head, and a savings bank account, even though not large, is very helpful. All of these things are entitled to consideration along with the propriety and desirability of a reasonable amount of life insurance which every man, at least every family man, should carry.

One of the beauties of life insurance is that the money goes to the widow or children and cannot be taken from them to satisfy any claim. It is theirs. If property is left in any other form it can be taken for debt. To be sure, honest people would not in ordinary circumstances avoid the payment of legitimate debts, even under the protection of life insurance laws, but it is worth something for a widow, having perhaps a number of young children, to be left in a position where she and they do not face the poor-house, whatever befalls.

So much can be said for life insurance. But a mistake is made by any man who depends entirely upon it to provide for his family in case of his removal by death. Every man should endeavor to have something of his own. He should strive to own his home and to have a little nest-egg laid by that he can put his hand on in case of exigency before death. He should try to place himself in a position in which he has not got to die to win.

Attempts in this direction will lead to industry and thrift, the most valuable forms of life insurance the world has ever seen.

Is it quite necessary to have so many deadly poisons in the family medicine chest? Mrs. John A. Logan of Washington, widow of the famous Civil war general, came near losing her life the other night by taking a poisonous dose by mistake. Aside from special forms for tablets and special labels, it would seem as if there was a little responsibility resting upon the people themselves.

Passengers who tried their luck with a pack of gamblers on a recent trip across the Atlantic did a foolish thing, and a still more foolish one by squealing about their losses after they landed. Persons of gambling propensities should do one of two things: refrain or accept their losses like men.

It has been found that wireless telegraphy affords little protection against collisions at sea in fog. On land the political fog is sometimes so dense that trouble is experienced when the wires are supposed to be in perfect working order. Wires and wireless have their limitations.

The world is full of trouble. Submarine men occasionally have difficulty in coming up, and a Maine man who invented a windmill recently had a terrible time in getting down from the tower. But hardship is one of the penalties of invention and exploration.

A woman is lecturing in different parts of New England on "How to live on \$1,800 a year." Most families would be able to solve that part of the problem if she would tell them how to accumulate the \$1,800.

Mayor Curley of Boston will stick to his congressional job till June 1 to save the expense of a special election. The motive is good and the task agreeable.

Reno, Nevada, has been jarred by an earthquake, but that is no more than right. Reno has been jarring the rest of the country for years.

The quickest and surest way to locate the missing relatives of a dead man is to show that the deceased left a sizable estate.

Now the W. C. T. U. is turning its attention to the "booze tablet." But why not wipe out booze first?

If New York city isn't careful it will acquire the reputation of being the blizzard center of the east.

An anti-slang club has been formed, a fact that in itself will call out a lot of slang expressions.

REED APPEALS FOR WORK

Wants Torpedo Fleet Assigned and Boats From Bath Commissioned Here.

Congressman Reed in a recent visit to the navy department where he was for an hour engaged with Secretary Daniels on matters connected with the Portsmouth yard. During the conference the congressman from the first district brought up the matter of torpedo-boats that were built at Bath going in commission at other yards, which means more or less minor repairs and alterations while at a government station. He explained how these boats were formerly delivered here, and the reason why they later were commissioned at Boston. He also made a request for the assignment. Although the secretary could not give him a definite reply as to such boats for the yard at present, he promised to take up the other matter at once, and we have good reason to believe that the two torpedo boat destroyers now under completion at the Bath Iron Works will go in commission at the location.

SOUTHERN SONG

(For the Transcript):

Sunlight in the window shines;
Bluebells calling from the pines,
Mammy must be up sometimes
Working for her baby.

Baby must not stay in bed.
Sun-kissed clouds are overhead,
Banks of roses blushing red
Waiting for my baby.

Soft the Southern breezes blow,
Daddy's working with his hoe,
Phil will make the cotton grow
For my darling baby.

Harvest time will soon be here,
Driftin' snow the fields appear,
Mammy'll make a dress this year
For her little baby.

Blessed Southland calm and fair,
Song and fragrance fill the air
With enchantment everywhere
For my precious baby.

—OSCAR LAIGHTON.

PRINCE'S SANITARY MARKET FOR SATURDAY.

To the first 25 customers at the store we will give away a can of stove polish.

Fresh cut spinach.
3 cans corn, 25c.
3 cans peas, 25c.
3 cans sardines, 25c.
Fresh oysters today.
Pork roast, 19c.
Steak steak, 25c lb.
A can tomatoes, 25c.
3 lbs. pilot bread, 25c.
3 lbs. soda crackers, 25c.
3 lbs. common crackers, 25c.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all who endeavored to lighten our sorrow caused by the death of our mother, Mrs. Louise M. Matt and especially to all who sent the beautiful floral tributes.

GEORGE B. HATTIE.
FAY E. HATTIE.
MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM VARDY.

TAKING TO WINTER SPORT

The Vaughan Street Fishing Club has taken to winter sport and can be seen skiing on the hills in the fields on the outskirts of the city. The shoes for this amusement on the snow have not been received from a Boston sporting goods house, and until the delivery is made the famous organization will do the outdoor stunt on barrel staves.

TO LECTURE IN CHICAGO.

Dr. Edward S. Cowles, specialist in nervous and mental disorders, leaves on Saturday for Chicago, Ill., Crowley, La., and Montgomery, Ala., to see patients. Dr. F. S. Towle will take charge of Dr. Cowles' psychotherapeu-

tic work.

The greatest treatment that science affords is courage, rest, sunshine and Scott's Emulsion.

Scott's Emulsion contains pure cod liver oil to clarify and enrich the blood, strengthen the lungs, rebuild wasted tissue and fortify the resistive forces to throw off disease germs.

Strengthen YOUR lungs with Scott's Emulsion—it's benefits are too important to neglect.

Physicians everywhere proclaim its worth and warn against alcoholic substitutes.

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CURRENT OPINION

Peril in Judicial Oligarchy;
Contented People Either Ignorant or Hopeless.

It has been said that a contented people have no annals. The present unrest among the people, strange as it may seem, is one of the best signs of the times. When people are content they either are ignorant or better conditions or hopeless of attaining them.

In this country, as in all countries, the control of the government is in the hands of the few. We have learned that the form of government amounts to little. The real question is, "Where does the control of government reside?"

In 1776 we issued a declaration proclaiming the rights of mankind and their equality and freedom. And then the champions of government by the few quietly but effectively took control of the government.

The overwhelming preponderance of the judiciary has been unexpectedly created by decisions of the supreme court of the United States without a line in the constitution to authorize it when that body assumed the right to veto any act of congress it chose to hold unconstitutional.

This doctrine has been seized upon as a boon by the special interests and by all who believed at heart in the government of the many for the benefit of the few. It has practically made the courts the dominant power in every state in the union. Whenever any progressive statute has not been in accord with the economic views entertained by the courts they have generally exercised their power to declare such statute unconstitutional because it was not "due process of law."—Chief Justice Walter Clark of North Carolina Supreme Court.

the sanitarium during his absence! Dr. Cowles may accept several invitations that he has received to lecture on his return trip.

PORTSMOUTH THEATRE PROGRAMME

(Continued from Page One)

Mrs. Ira F. Burnham of Stoughton, Charles E. Bennett of Malden, Edward P. Sherburne of Dorchester, Ezekiel P. Munro of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Lewis of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. C. Morris Tredeek of Malden, Rev. Ezekiel Fitzgerald of Boston, Mrs. A. C. Lunt of Beverly, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lear of Portsmouth, Robert Carter, Lyman W. Griffin, William H. Carty, Miss May Conroy, George H. Teague, Miss Annie M. Jenkins, George S. Kirwin, William A. Payson and Thomas J. Whitton of Boston, Jefferson C. Rose, E. Percy Stoddard, Miss Pauline M. Lear, Miss Mary Harvey of Portsmouth, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Cate of Charlestown, George A. Griffin of Penobscot, Miss Alice E. Rand of Arlington, Miss Ethel B. Mattatall of Cambridge, Percy J. Greenough of Salem, Harry B. Dorr of Somerville, Mrs. George Porter and Miss Theresa Porter of Boston.

Rev. Lucius Thayer read the following poem:

VIEWED OLD HOME PICTURES

From the motley folk that gather,

Men of every tribe and clan,
Spring the loyal son and brother;

Come the citizenry man.

Portsmouth, not the least of cities

Built of old along the shore,

Forth from the great souls emerging,

Thou shalt bless earth as of yore.

Portsmouth, rock-bound on thy river,

Yet a mystic life is thine;

In our grateful hearts we cherish

Thee, an influence most divine,

Purged of all thy dross we see thee,

With thy domes and spires most

fair;

Blazoned on thy walls, prophetic,

Name of old, "The Lord is there."

ENVOY.

River flow! Our days are fleeting.

City bide! We pass away.

Memories won and hopes awakened

Well endure eternal day.

—Lucius H. Thayer.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral service of Mr. Percy M. Robinson will be held Saturday morning at the St. John's church. The body will lay in state after eleven o'clock and the services will be held at 12 o'clock. Burial Sunday at Forrest Hill cemetery, Boston, at 2:30.

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SUPERIOR COURT

Judge Sawyer presided at a session of Superior Court here on Thursday and a number of cases were disposed of. There were many issue to court cases, which were settled by agreement and a considerable amount of business was transacted.

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Some New Spring Models in Suits, Waists & Dresses

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THEIR FAREWELL MEETING

Captain and Mrs. Olley of the Salvation Army will conduct their farewell meeting on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. They leave on Wednesday for Sanford, Me. They will be succeeded by Captain and Mrs. Beech of Saco.

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NAVY YARD NEWS

Will Do It Later

Further work on the approach to the new bridge on the Kittery side to be done by the department of public works will not be undertaken until the frost has left the ground.

Changed Commands

Captain Carver of the Hector and Captain Newell of the Vulcan have changed commands by order of the department.

Back from Vacation

Coxswain A. A. Webb of the commandant's barge has returned from a 15 day furlough which he passed in Boston.

For Machinery Division

One patternmaker for the machinery division was called today.

Anxiously Waiting

The clerical force of the machinery and hull divisions are anxiously awaiting the official report of Secretary Daniels in which they are said to have been granted some increase in wages. This matter has been in the hands of the department since June, 1913.

Secretary Gone to Illinois

The secretary of the navy left Washington today on a business trip.

to Peoria, Ill., and will return on Tuesday next.

Changed Her Destination

A coal barge of the Consolidated Coal Company intercepted at Boston where her shipment was consigned, has arrived at the yard and is discharging 1600 tons of coal.

A Good Idea.

The latest thing in life preservers has been placed at all bridges and landings at the yard and at the Daniel street ferry.

A Fast Man.

Among the detachment of the marine guard which lately arrived for the Southery is one who holds some record for prize boxing and his comrade believe he is the fastest in that branch of the service.

Vessel Movements

The Nautilus has arrived at San Francisco.

The Monaghan, Sterrett, and Terry at Tampa.

The Buffalo has sailed from Mazatlan for San Diego.

The Arethusa from Guantanamo for Guayanabana bay.

The Patuxent from Guantanamo for Port au Prince.

The San Francisco from Guanabana bay for Vera Cruz.

Upon the completion of the Mardi Gras celebration at Mobile the Chenier will return to Mexican waters.

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THE COUNCIL HOLD A BRIEF MEETING

**Have No Power Over the Duties of
Overseer of Poor--Junk Licenses
to Be Held Up for Inspection.**

There was a brief meeting of the Mayor and Council on Thursday evening but very little business to transact.

Mayor Yeaton read the following opinion from City Solicitor Peyster on the resolution of Councilman Frank Woods introduced at the last meeting to the effect that the city poor be allowed to purchase their supplies wherever they choose.

THE COMPANY WITH THE PYRAMID

TENNIS PLAYER STABS HIMSELF WITH SCARF PIN

San Francisco, Feb. 19.—Shattered in health, owing to worry, Carlton Gardner, at one time a noted tennis player, yesterday stabbed himself with a scarf pin while on a visit to members of his family in Palo Alto.

Gardner had been detained by the police because of his actions on the streets. He was taken to a hospital where it was found that the pin had penetrated the lower portion of the heart. When restored to consciousness he was removed to a sanitarium in San Jose where it was said today his condition is serious.

According to his physician, Gardner has been ill for some time, more largely to worry because he was not advancing his way as an artist rapidly enough.

Gardner has played in many tennis tournaments, including those of Newport, R. I., and Del Monte, in this state. He has won several Pacific coast championships. In the season of 1912 he was ranked among the 10 best players in the United States.

UNABLE TO AGREE ON THE TRUSTEES

Washington, Feb. 19.—Conferences between officials of the Department of Justice, the State of Massachusetts and the New Haven Railroad, over the terms of the separation of that road from the Boston & Maine, came to an end last night, without a complete agreement. Chairman Elliott and counsel for the New Haven, after two days in Washington, left for New York to attend a meeting of the New Haven board of directors today. It was understood that Mr. Elliott will present for its sanction the terms of the agreement, which have been passed upon at the meetings here. He is not expected to return to Washington until next week, but it was said on good authority that the suspension of the negotiations did not indicate a failure of the conference but that a

resumption later would lead to a settlement.

Although the personnel of the board of trustees which is to take over the Boston & Maine stock now controlled by the New Haven had not received the approval of all parties concerned when the conference adjourned last night, it was the understanding that a tentative list of five would be submitted to Attorney General McFetridge.

This list had been approved by Governor Walsh of Massachusetts and has been examined carefully by T. W. Gregory and Jessie C. Adkins, assistants to the Attorney General in charge of the New Haven case.

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\$10.00 Messaline Dresses for.....	\$3.95
\$15.00 Messaline Dresses for.....	\$9.95
Linen Dresses, formerly sold for \$3.50, go on sale for.....	\$1.69
A lot of Women's Last Season Suits, formerly sold for \$15 up to \$22.50, all will go on sale for.....	\$2.95
Women's and Misses' Skirts in serge and corduroy, former price \$2.98, go on sale for.....	.98c
Messaline Waists, formerly sold for \$3; go on sale for \$1.29	
Cotton Voile Waists, formerly sold at \$1.50; go on sale at 95c	
Women's Vests, value 25c, go on sale at.....	.9c
A lot of Short Kimonos in muslin and flannels go on sale at 9c	
\$1.00 Nobe Corsets go on sale for.....	.69c

Housekeeping Goods

69c Blankets for.....	.29c
\$1.00 Blankets for.....	.59c
\$1.69 Blankets for.....	.79c
\$2.50 Blankets for.....	\$1.69
\$1.00 Comforters for.....	.49c
\$2.00 Comforters for.....	\$1.29
\$3.50 Comforters for.....	\$1.39
Bed Spreads, former price \$1.50, go on sale for.....	.89c
50c Sheets go on sale for.....	.35c
Towels, 5c value, go on sale at.....	.2c
Women's Shoes, \$2 up to \$5.50, go on sale, at pair.....	.95c
Children's Shoes, \$1 up to \$2, go on sale, at pair.....	.69c
Women's Rubbers, value 75c, go on sale for.....	.39c
A lot of Children's Coats, worth \$3.50 up to \$6.50, go on sale for.....	\$1.95

Bargains for Men

Men's \$10.00 Suits go on sale for.....	\$3.95
Men's \$15.00 Suits go on sale for.....	\$8.95
Men's \$13.50 Overcoats go on sale for.....	\$7.95
Men's \$15.00 Overcoats go on sale for.....	\$8.95
Men's \$1.50 Pants for.....	.89c
Men's \$3.50 Pants for.....	\$1.95
Men's 50c Caps go on sale for.....	.29c
Men's \$1.00 and \$1.50 Hats go on sale for.....	.79c
Men's 50c Working Shirts go on sale for.....	.29c
Men's 75c Negligee Shirts go on sale for.....	.42c
Men's \$1.00 and \$1.50 Sweaters go on sale for.....	.69c
\$2.00 and \$3.00 Sweaters go on sale for.....	\$1.69

Bigger cut in Furs than was ever offered before to insure quick reduction of stock. We have cut the prices 60 per cent. less than the regular prices.

Children's Fur Sets go on sale for..... .89c and 49c set

One Thousand Bargain Lots Are Here Waiting for You. Come and Get Them. These Prices Must Convince You that We Mean Business at this Bought Out Sale, and Let Nothing Keep You Away from the Gigantic Price Cutting Event, the Greatest Ever Held in Portsmouth or Vicinity

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